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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We use a local provider who provides us excellent internet and telephone service in a Main Street style fashion, with easy, local customer service. We have been so happy to not have to deal with these huge multinational companies with overseas assistance, long wait times, super duper complicated billing plans, etc.

Please do not allow AT&T and Comcast to monopolize the market. It has been such a joy working with our local internet and telephone service provider, and I will be very disappointed if the FCC chooses to take away our freedom to do so.

Thank you,

Ingrid Hogle